UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

CHRISTOPHER MURPHY,) CASE NO. 1:14-cv-2445
PETITIONER,)) JUDGE SARA LIOI
vs.) MEMORANDUM OPINION
BRIGHAM SLOAN, Warden,)
RESPONDENT.)

Before the Court is the report and recommendation of the Magistrate Judge in the above-entitled action. Under the relevant statute:

Within fourteen days after being served with a copy, any party may serve and file written objections to such proposed findings and recommendations as provided by rules of court. A judge of the court shall make a de novo determination of those portions of the report or specified proposed findings or recommendations to which objection is made. [...]

28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C).

The R&R was filed on October 27, 2015. Under Fed.R.Civ.P. 6(d), an additional three days are added when computing service. Therefore, objections were due by Friday, November 13, 2015.

No objections were filed on or before that deadline. The failure to file written objections to a Magistrate Judge's report and recommendation constitutes a waiver of a de novo determination by the district court of an issue covered in the report. *Thomas v. Arn*, 728 F.2d 813 (6th Cir. 1984), *aff'd*, 474 U.S. 140 (1985), *reh'g denied*, 474 U.S. 1111 (1986); *see United States v. Walters*, 638 F.2d 947 (6th Cir. 1981).

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The Court has reviewed the Magistrate Judge's report and recommendation and

accepts the same. Accordingly, the petition for writ of habeas corpus is denied and the case is

dismissed. Further, the Court certifies that an appeal from this decision could not be taken in good

faith and that there is no basis upon which to issue a certificate of appealability. 28 U.S.C. §§

1915(a)(3), 2253(c); Fed. R. App. P. 22(b).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 23, 2015

HONORABLE SARA LIOI

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE